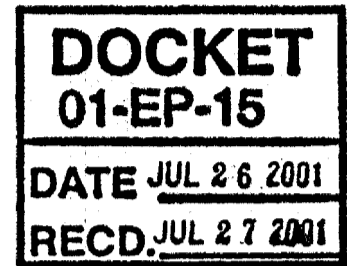


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**J. NELSON HAPPY
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER****July 26, 2001****Via Facsimile**

Mr. Robert L. **Therkelsen**
Deputy Director
Systems **Assessment** and Facility Siting
California Energy Commission
1516 9th Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Dear Mr. Therkelsen:**

Please be advised by this transmittal that CENCO Electric Company (CEC) is withdrawing its application for CEC Power from the **21-Day** Emergency Permitting Process. CEC Power anticipates submitting in the near future another application for consideration **under** the **4-Month** Process,

Thank you and your staff for your assistance during the application process. Please feel **free** to contact me or June **Christman** of my staff with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Nelson Happy". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end. Below the signature, the name "J. Nelson Happy" is printed in a small, sans-serif font.

JNH:md

cc: Kevin Kennedy, California Energy Commission (via fax 916-651-8868)
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